GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2693
ANSWERED ON:10.05.2016
Storage Capacity of FCI
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Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Food Corporation of India (FCI) has increased its own storage capacity in the country during each of the last three years and the current year, if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise;
(b) if not, the reasons therefor along with the number of godowns hired by FCI to meet its storage requirement across the country and the rent/expenses incurred thereon during the said period, State/UTwise;
(c) whether the Government has conducted any study to ascertain the funds required to increase the owned storage capacity of FCI and the rent/expenses required for hiring of godowns to meet its storage requirement in the country during the said period, if so, the details and the outcome thereof; and
(d) the other steps taken by the Government to increase owned storage capacity of FCI to meet its storage requirement instead of hiring of godowns in the country?

Answer

MINISTER OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
(SHRI RAM VILAS PASWAN)
(a) & (b): Yes, Madam. FCI has been augmenting its own storage capacity using funds under Plan scheme mostly in the North Eastern states. For rest of the country, as a policy, storage capacity has been augmented under Private Entrepreneurs Guarantee (PEG) Scheme where godowns are dedicated for FCI for 10 years for storage of foodgrains.
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The details of capacity augmentation during the last three years and current year are given below :-
Year
Under Plan Scheme
(in MT)
Under PEG Scheme
(in Lakh MT)
2013-14
22,500
49.88
2014-15
43,480
8.30
2015-16
64,810
6.56
2016-17
(upto April, 2016)
-
0.70
Total
1,30,790
65.44
State-wise details are enclosed at Annexure-I & II.
FCI hires godowns from Central Warehousing Corporation (CWC), State Warehousing Corporations (SWCs) and private parties, most of which are dedicated for storage of foodgrains. As on 01.04.2016, total hired godowns with FCI are 1346 having capacity 203.82 lakh MT as per details given below:-
Year
Number
Capacity in Lakh MT
Rent Paid
in Rs Lakh
2013-14
1356
212.49
202661.42
2014-15
1242
203.45

222766.06
2015-16
1346
203.82
219360.00
State-wise details are given at Annexure-III.
(c): Requirement has not been felt for conducting specific study in this regard.
(d): Government has also decided to increase storage capacity of FCI by construction of silos in Public Private Partnership mode.
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ANNEXURE-I
ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2693 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 10.05.2016 IN THE LOK SABHA
State-wise and year-wise details of the storage capacity created under XIIth FYP
(Figures in MT)
Sl
States
2013-14
2014-15
2015-16
2016-17
1
ASSAM
37000
50000
2
ARUNACHAL PRADESH
2500
2310
2310
3
MANIPUR
4
MEGHALAYA
2500
5
MIZORAM
6
NAGALAND
1670
7500
7
SIKKIM
8
TRIPURA
5000
9
ODISHA
10000
10
KERALA
10000
Total
22500
43480
64810
0
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ANNEXURE-II
ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2693 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 10.05.2016 IN THE LOK SABHA
State-wise and year-wise details of the storage capacity created under PEG Scheme
(Figures in Lakh MT)
Sl
State
2013-14
2014-15
2015-16
2016-17
1
Andhra Pradesh
0.16

0.00
0.00
2
Bihar
0.58
0.50
0.48
3
Chhattisgarh
1.78
0.24
0.76
4
Gujarat
0.45
0.00
0.00
5
Haryana
15.48
4.20
0.53
6
Himachal Pradesh
0.22
0.00
0.00
7
Jammu & Kashmir
0.53
0.26
0.09
8
Jharkhand
0.70
0.20
0.13
0.10
9
Karnataka
0.67
0.14
0.37
10
Kerala
0.00
0.00
0.00
11
Madhya Pradesh
8.84
0.00
0.96
12
Maharashtra
2.40
0.00
0.00
13
Odisha
0.45
0.00
0.45
14
Punjab
8.44
1.08
1.64
0.40
15
Rajasthan

0.57
0.00
0.00
16
Tamilnadu
0.75
0.00
0.05
17
Telengana
1.41
0.00
0.00
18
Uttar Pradesh
6.06
1.46
0.45
0.20
19
Uttarakhand
0.00
0.00
20
West Bengal
0.39
0.22
0.65
Total
49.88
8.30
6.56
0.70
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ANNEXURE-III

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) & (b) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2693 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 10.05.2016 IN THE LOK SABHA

Details of godowns hired by FCI in last three years

2013-14 (As on 31.03.2014)
2014-15 (As on 31.03.2015)
2015-16 (As on 31.03.2016)
Number
Capacity
Rent
Number
Capacity
Rent
Number
Capacity
Rent
in LMT
in Lakh Rs
in LMT
in Lakh Rs
in LMT
in Lakh Rs
1
BIHAR
39
2.48
2580.69
34
2.37
1991.42
36
2.59
219360.00
(Provisional)
2
JHARKHAND
20

1.07
608.02
24
1.52
918.26
28
1.81
3
ORISSA
36
2.83
2897.82
35
2.49
2452.2
35
2.35
4
WEST BENGAL (Including Sikkim)
16
2.01
2542.17
8
1.15
2300.45
8
1.22
5
ARUNACHAL PRADESH
14
0.05
20.94
8
0.05
31.26
8
0.03
6
ASSAM
18
0.92
614.62
19
1.04
867.52
18
1.02
7
NAGALAND
1
0.13
108.39
1
0.13
141.02
1
0.13
8
MANIPUR
1
0.04
1
0.04
1
0.04
9
MEGHALAYA
3
0.12
158.61
6

0.14
280.19
3
0.09
10
MIZORAM
1
0.01
1
0
0
0.00
11
TRIPURA
4
0.09
4
0.08
3
0.06
12
DELHI
0
0
0
0
0
0
0
0.00
13
HARYANA
186
29.24
25576.25
179
36.42
36578.88
194
41.32
14
HIMACHAL PRADESH
11
0.16
82.99
13
0.29
117.29
11
0.30
15
Jammu & Kashmir
7
0.62
200.21
10
1.15
894.86
13
1.36
16
PUNJAB (including Chandigarh)
327
87.54
69099.54
316
82.38
91290.81
406
80.15
17

RAJASTHAN
171
15.83
11588.95
144
13.93
13152.97
120
10.38
18
UTTAR PRADESH
173
26.92
24526.57
140
24.13
27513.45
180
30.17
19
UTTARAKHAND
14
1.2
1212.29
13
1.01
948.8
14
1.01
20
ANDHRA PRADESH (Including Andman Nikobar & Telangana)
95
14.33
35276.63
77
9.46
17054.3
45
4.47
21
KARNATAKA
36
3.58
4011.70
35
3.34
3440.42
31
3.68
22
KERALA
1
0.05
76.78
1
0.05
119.83
1
0.05
23
TAMILNADU (including Pondicherry)
35
4.86
4125.39
37
5.06
4453.63
46
4.73
24
CHHATTISGARH

30
3.53
3967.45
32
3.33
3892.57
44
4.44
25
GUJARAT
17
2.19
2315.32
19
2.35
2675.32
17
1.82
26
MADHYA PRADESH
10
0.95
1653.45
4
1.16
1554.97
1
0.05
27
MAHARASTRA (including Goa)
90
11.74
9416.64
81
10.38
10095.64
82
10.55
GRAND TOTAL
1356
212.49
202661.42
1242
203.45
222766.06
1346
203.82
219360.00
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